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In re Application of: Paul N. Burgess et al.)
Serial No. 09/597,430)
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**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
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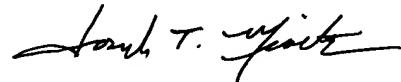
Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time to respond to
the Office Action mailed October 7, 2003. Please charge Deposit Account
No. 10-0460 in the amount of \$110.00 for the extension fee.

A paper responsive to the outstanding Office Action is being filed
simultaneously herewith.

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Deposit Account No. 10-0460. Two additional copies of this sheet are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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